



## ROTHSCHILD'S PLAN.

The Brussels Conference Will Probably Reject It.

Members of the Special Committee Find It Full of Flaws.

American Delegates Still Hopeful of Reaching an Agreement.

Delegate Cannon Says That Unless Something Is Done the United States Will Have to Cease Buying Silver.

*By Telegraph to The Times.*  
BRUSSELS, Dec. 4.—[By Cable and Associated Press.] It is understood that the special committee of the monetary conference will explain tomorrow that the committee has not come to a formal decision, and the views of individual members will be given. These are generally unfavorable to Rothschild's plan, the chief difficulties being the price at which silver will be purchased; duration of the proposed agreement, and attitude of the Latin Union. Nobody now thinks that Rothschild's plan will lead to a working scheme.

The committee today continued to consider the plan. The American delegates maintain a reserve as to their attitude on the plan. They believe that whatever may be the result of the conference, the general discussion will have, and is having, great effect in educating European delegates on the currency question. One of the American delegates who is a banker, is doing all he can to promote the various proposals under the belief that it will be necessary for the United States to rescind the silver purchase act and wait until Europe shall have reached an agreement in regard to silver. When no proposal is mooted, there is small danger that the American delegates will get entangled in any of them.

LOXON, Dec. 1.—A special correspondent reports that the committee of the Brussels International Monetary Conference voted last night against Rothschild's scheme. This, however, the correspondent says, is not taken as a bi-metallism defeat. The committee will now proceed to decide upon the combined Rothschild and Soetheer plans with the modifications proposed in behalf of the Latin Union. It is expected that majority and minority reports will be presented tomorrow. The prospect of an early agreement by the conference is considered remote.

## DELEGATE CANNON'S VIEWS.

The United States to Stop Buying Silver if an Agreement is Not Reached.

NEW YORK, Dec. 1.—[By the Associated Press.] Hon. H. W. Cannon, president of the Chase National Bank of this city, is the American member of the sub-committee appointed to consider and amend the plan proposed by Rothschild to the monetary conference.

It is understood that Cannon will probably vote that the conference consider the proposed plan in an amended form.

Cannon's views are that if no monetary agreement is reached through the efforts of the conference, and if the United States finds no responsive voice in Europe to its appeal for the restoration of silver, our best course will be to repeal the law of July, 1890, and go out of the market as purchasers of silver for currency purposes until such time as an international agreement is made.

If gold mono-metalism is to prevail among the principal commercial nations of the United States, its enormous and increasing foreign commerce, its high credit, its large stock of gold and rich mines of the same metal, will be compelled not only to cease purchasing silver for currency purposes, but to take such steps as are necessary to maintain the stock of gold.

## THE INDIAN COMMISSION.

An Attempt to Commit It to the Gold Standard Fails.

LOXON, Dec. 1.—[By Cable and Associated Press.] The Indian Currency Commission will resume its sittings early in January, whether the monetary conference has or has not by that time been brought to a close.

Members of the commission are certain to have by January some definite idea of what the issues of the Brussels meeting are to be, and how they may affect the currency in India. The Associated Press has already reported that the Indian commission had under consideration a proposal to declare a gold standard for India. There is no doubt as to the fact that certain strong adherents of the single standard sought to snatch a vote from the commission in favor of the gold standard.

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## WHERE CAN THEY GO?

Pittsburgh's Crusade Against the Social Evil.

Fallen Women Ordered to Leave—They Appeal to the Mayor and Make a Scene at a Preacher's House.

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PITTSBURGH, Dec. 1.—[By the Associated Press.] Never before in the history of Pittsburgh was such a scene witnessed as that in the City Hall this afternoon. At least 150 inmates of disorderly houses, who had been ordered to leave the city by tomorrow afternoon, gathered in the Mayor's office. They were of all grades and conditions of their class of society. The women insisted upon seeing Mayor Gourley, and when he made his appearance they wanted to know what they were to do.

Mayor Gourley made a speech in which he said: "They are hurrying you out in the streets like dogs."

One of the females said: "Some of these women, in fact, a great number of them, live away from here. They have no money and no friends, and what are they to do?"

"That I don't know," said the Mayor, "but I will try and see what the ministers will do, and let you know by tomorrow afternoon."

The women went down Smithfield street to Fifth avenue, attracting a great deal of attention. The ministers of the city propose at once to take up the cause. The "fallen" will be the subject of discussion next Monday, and steps will be taken to provide homes for those who would lead moral lives. Hundreds of women left today for other cities, many going to Wheeling, Cincinnati, Cleveland, Columbus and Chicago.

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## STEPHEN M. WHITE

Forging to the Front in the Senatorial Race.

The Lay of the Land, Politically, in the North.

Present Attitude of the Populites Toward White.

The Straight Democrats Will Not Be in the Majority, but Look to Their Allies for Help—Headquarters.

Special Correspondence of The Times.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 29.—The one subject now discussed in political circles in San Francisco is the Senatorial race. The question of Federal patronage pales into insignificance, or at any rate is relegated to the background, because it is to a greater or less extent dependent upon the Senatorship. It seems to be a very general impression up here that of all the gentlemen mentioned for the Senatorship, Stephen M. White of Los Angeles would be more in touch with and would get more recognition from the administration. He has been a consistent Cleveland man, while some of his opponents were, before the Chicago convention, loud and fierce in their denunciations of the President-elect. Mr. Cleveland, by his recent utterances regarding Pennsylvania, shows that he is perfectly familiar with men and events in all the States of the Union.

The open and avowed candidates for the Senate at present are White, Foote, J. F. Sullivan, Jere Lynch, and Dennis Spencer of Napa. That White has decidedly the best of it is conceded by all.

There are five members of the San Francisco delegation who will vote for White regardless of any persuasion, golden or otherwise. In Alameda county, which is the home of Foote, the Democrats elected two Assemblymen straight and one by fusion with the People's party. All of these men voted for White. Santa Clara has three Democratic legislators for white, and Sonoma has two. There are three candidates for speaker of the house, Shannahan of Shasta, Gould of Merced, and Matthews of Tehama. All of them favor White. Every Democratic vote in the San Joaquin Valley, including three from San Joaquin county, is solid for White, and nothing can stop them.

The Democratic members of Congress from this State, Messrs. Geary, Campion, Maguire, and Cannon, are openly for White, while every pronounced

opposition to him comes from the Republicans.

CHARLES M. WHITE, San Francisco, Nov. 29.—The People's party in this State is showing a decidedly taggish spirit. Though it was assigned one of the most desirable parts of the Mines and Mining building in the center of the main aisle and directly opposite the Mexican display, the California World's Fair board has not yet accepted this space. Moreover, in a recent letter to the World's Fair management the secretary of the California association said that they were not yet in a position to state whether they desired the space allotted to them. Every inch in the Mining building is wanted, and several States which do know whether they want to place exhibits in the building or not, are clamoring for increased allotments. The World's Fair management is considerably wrought up over the lassitude shown by the California commission and is anxiously awaiting a reply one way or the other.

The California commission, it is believed, is doing nothing to foster exhibits for this great building, and is displaying most vacillating methods in making such statements as that they have not made up their minds as yet as to whether they will want space or not.

White, however, is a decided favorite.

He has been elected as a Republican, was a Republican now, and would take off his coat and work for any honorable man who was a candidate on the Republican ticket. Hon. John Q. Taft was the nominee of the Republican party for the office of Mayor of this city, and as such would receive the nomination as a Republican,

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OCTAVIUS MORGAN,  
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The report of Mr. Estee presented the situation with clearness, and its prompt adoption was to be expected in a convention of representative men, anxious to further a great national enterprise.**The tourists are breaking across the mountains in herds, droves, bevvies, swarms, carloads. The seductive southland weos them with its winter smiles, and nothing but a panic in the money market can keep them beyond our borders. Welcome, frozen tenderfeet,—come in and thaw out.**The Nicaragua Canal schemes is having its innings at New Orleans. With the Panama affair staring our American enterprise in the face as an awful example, there should be no difficulty experienced in doing the right thing in the right way at the right time. Now, let the digging proceed.**Russia has 135,500,000 pounds of wheat and 54,500,000 pounds of rye for export, but still the United States is called upon to feed the starving poor of that great empire. This is not the correct thing, and somebody who has not the fear of Siberia before his eyes ought to tell the Czar so.**The newspapers of the country are poking Gen. Dyrenforth in the ribs about that rain business down in Texas. In fact, they are jumping on him almost as hard as if he had promised to down a robber tariff and then shown by his actions that he had no intention of doing anything of the kind. The General and the Prophet appear to be suffering much in common. It is a hard world, etc.**The city of Lowell, Mass., has just completed the construction of the Engle garbage crematory for the burning of the city refuse. The chamber is 32 feet long by 9½ feet wide, and the crematory is the first of its kind built in New England. There is no offensive odor to it while the garbage is being consumed and after it has passed through the first furnace, that portion which is left goes to a secondary furnace where it is completely destroyed. By this system, known as the Freyers, after its inventor, the cost of destroying the garbage is from 8 to 18 cents per cubic yard.**Mr. CLEVELAND at times gets all balled up in his metaphors. For instance, when he says that "the South is at once the cradle and the guardian of civil liberty," he ought to forward a map with it. When a thing is both a "cradle" and a "guardian" at the same time it is a little too much, and if the South is really any such thing as that, there seems to be no reason why it should also be solid. Before we get along any further, this thing should be straightened out, and we call upon Grover to do right by us. He has been elected by the people of this country to a very high office for the second time, and to take advantage of his position in this way is, to say the least, utterly different and otherwise. What have the people who voted for the gentleman from Buzzard's Bay to say for him?**The comet came, brought along its own orbit as it had a perfect right to, then lit out to set other worlds guessing as to whence it cometh and whither it goeth. It sowed a few feathers from its fiery tail through our atmosphere, set the astronomers to looking with renewed zeal and has made a fruitful subject for the paragraphs of this great and glorious country. Whether the comet belonged to Mr. Biela, Mr. Holmes or some unidentified person, we do not know, and care less; it is enough for us to be satisfied that it has gone off about its business and not knocked this poor old world of ours—but the best one we have any real sure thing on—into smithereens. The next fiery thing to go cavorting through space is that other meteoric body, Grover Cleveland, who will proceed to rip up the tariff, unless the political astronomers have lied to us. We predict, however, that there will be the swish of a tail, so to speak, a few sparks, a whole lot of talk and speculation about dire results, then the world will go wagging along just as of yore—also the Republican policy of protection. They didn't!**The policy of the Republican party in this municipal campaign is accurately outlined in its platform adopted by the city convention. As it was formulated at a time when there were diverting excitements, such as the water-bond fight and the approaching general election, some of our readers may not have noted its declarations as accurately as they are prepared to do now. We, therefore, think it a good plan to reproduce the platform now. 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The fact is that Mr. Rowan voted for the award of contract on the 29th of December, and, on the 31st—two days later—he went out of office. Now, a newspaper that has as keen a detective insight as our Democratic neighbor ought to see that this circumstance in itself is suspicious. Why did the old board hurry up to let this larger contract just two days before the personnel and politics of the board were to be changed?

We feel that our contemporary would hardly be doing justice to its cause and sustaining its Spartan strain of honesty if it should fail to note these points, and place a part of the responsibility where it properly belongs—at the feet of Mr. Rowan. If the Herald would come out flatly and expose its candidate for Mayor and denounce him, it would be pretty sure to accomplish his defeat. And thus it would show that its love of honest and uprightness is not of the patent reversible kind, and it would further have the satisfaction of downing another member of that infamous "Courthouse ring."

**City Attorney McLarland.**

The Democratic campaigners seem to be focusing their fire on Charles McFarland, the present City Attorney and Republican candidate for reelection. Well, we know of nobody on the Republican ticket who is better prepared to stand the brunt of the Democratic onslaught. He has made an honest and efficient public official; has saved the city thousands of dollars by standing out for the public interest instead of complaisantly falling in with the schemes of individuals and corporations; and has won every important suit of the city that has been pressed to a conclusion. He still has several important cases pending before the Supreme Court, one of which is that to determine the rights of the City Water Company in its Crystal Springs supply. The city cannot afford to lose that suit, and Mr. McFarland is just the man to follow it to the end. He has never been accused, even by his enemies, of susceptibility to corporate influence, and surely his course while in office would render such an accusation ridiculous. He is the man to keep at the head of the city's legal department. We are in the middle of a stream of litigation, and it would be the worst kind of policy to swap attorneys.

**Los Angeles (Cal.) Nov. 28, 1892.**

To the honorable Council of the city of Los Angeles—GENTLEMEN: Several communications have appeared in the daily papers of this city in which it is stated that the plans prepared by the City Engineer for the proposed outfall sewer are radically defective, and that the inverted siphon contemplated by said plans will, if constructed, not only make the entire sewer a failure, but prove in itself a source of great danger to the public health of the city.

In view of the gravity of these charges we respectfully ask of your honorable body that you thoroughly investigate the same, and obtain the services of competent experts, and that pending such inquiry you suspend action upon bids for construction of said sewer now before you.

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The Times has information to the effect that if an attempt should be made to incorporate the proposed inverted-siphon feature upon the outfall sewer, anywhere in the vicinity of the race-track, an injunction will be immediately sued out by interested citizens, stopping the work on the ground of nuisance. Such an injunction would doubtless "stick." Meantime, in order to avert the repetition of a state of things which promises to be dangerous and costly, we suggest to voters, without respect of party, to vote against the continuance in office of a City Engineer who goes racing-chasing after such prosaic, not to say malodorous, objects as inverted siphons and things.

Let us rise up in our might, go to the polls next Monday, elect E. T. Wright City Engineer, and have a new deal in sewers.

**The Municipal Policy Involved.**

Citizens of Los Angeles should remember that when they deposit their ballots next Monday they will be voting, not solely for a choice between certain men, but they will give their franchises to sustain one of two different policies in municipal government. Which of these policies is the better? That ought to be a determining question, all other things being equal or nearly so. Los Angeles to continue in the active, progressive line which it has taken in public affairs, with an honest, well-administered police department, the regulation of the liquor traffic, the pushing of improvements, maintaining the public schools and the library at a high standard of efficiency, beautifying the parks, building the outfall sewer in a proper way and inaugurating the system of waterworks with first-class engineering ability, or is it going to drop back a notch or two and put its affairs again into the hands of the Democrats, who for many years managed them so ploddingly?

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## THE COURTS.

Sentence Finally Passed Upon the Chinese Murderer.

Wong Ark Given Ten Years in Folsom Prison.

A Water Rights Suit on Trial Before Judge Van Dyke.

Robert Williams, the Burglar, Given a Long Term in State Prison—Pomona Seduction Case—General Court Notes—New Suite.

At 10 o'clock yesterday morning Wong Ark, who was recently convicted of manslaughter upon his third trial, appeared before Judge McKinley in Department Six, to receive sentence.

His attorney, James M. Damon, Esq., however, moved the Court to grant the defendant another new trial upon the grounds that the Court had erred in its decision of questions of law arising during the course of the trial, that the jury had been misdirected on matters of law, and that the verdict was contrary to law and the evidence. The motion was denied by Judge McKinley after argument thereon, and the defendant's counsel thereupon presented a motion in arrest of judgment upon the ground that the information was insufficient in that it did not conform to the provisions of the law, but this was also denied. After the usual formula had been disposed of, Judge McKinley sentenced Wong Ark to imprisonment in the State prison at Folsom for the term of ten years.

No notice of appeal was given, and in view of the fact that the defendant very narrowly escaped imprisonment for life, it is probable that he will accept his present fate in preference to trusting himself to the tender mercies of another jury.

## SUIT OVER WATER RIGHTS.

The trial of the case of J. A. Graves et ux. vs. C. F. Bean, an action to enjoin defendant from entering upon plaintiff's land and interfering with certain water rights, was commenced before Judge Van Dyke in Department Four yesterday. Messrs. O'Melveny and Shanks appearing for the plaintiffs and Sheldon Borden, Esq., representing the defendant.

From the pleadings it was learned that Mrs. Alice H. Graves, one of the plaintiffs, is the owner of two tracts of land at San Gabriel, one of which contains thirty acres and the other ten acres, separated only by a road. The plaintiffs allege in their complaint that defendant threatens to enter upon both of these tracts, although he has no right to do so, and to construct a dam across said road, and build a sand-house in the larger tract. That in order to do so he would tear down one of the walls of a reservoir, which contains 1,250,000 gallons of water, used for irrigating purposes, and would do irreparable damage to the property. They therefore seek to obtain a perpetual injunction to restrain him from doing any of the acts recited.

The defendant, on the other hand, alleges in his answer, that on February 7, 1878, George Stoneman, the common grantor of the parties to this action, who was the owner of a large tract of land known as the Stoneman Ranch, sold the thirty acre tract to John H. Griffith, but before doing so he constructed a zanja across it for irrigating purposes. He subsequently sold a tract of eighteen acres, adjoining it, to H. D. Barrows and W. C. Furrey, defendant's grantors, together with certain water rights appurtenant thereto. That in 1875, Griffith, Barrows and Furrey, by mutual consent, laid a line of 11-inch water pipe in lieu of said ditch, and constructed a sand-box in the thirty acre tract. That on December 16, 1889, plaintiff bought the ten acre tract, and on August 20, 1890, they proceeded to plow up the ditch, and to lay a new and direct said pipe 215 feet of which they appropriated to their own use, thereby depriving him of his water rights. He therefore asks that the temporary injunction already issued be dissolved so that he may proceed to assert his rights in the premises.

During the day's session only two witnesses, viz.: J. A. Graves and Mrs. M. O. H. Stoneman, were examined for the plaintiff, and at the close of their testimony the matter went over until this morning.

## FIVE YEARS IN SAN QUENTIN.

Robert Williams appeared before Judge Smith yesterday without counsel, for arraignment upon two charges of burglary preferred against him, and, after waiving all his legal rights in the premises, entered his plea of guilty in each instance, and the Court, after hearing evidence for the purpose of determining the nature of the offenses, convicted the defendant of burglary in the second degree, and sentenced him to imprisonment at San Quentin penitentiary for three years for the first offense and two more for the second, making a total of five years. Williams was charged with breaking on September 1 last, broken into J. W. Smith's house on South Main street, and on October 23 entered the residence of J. W. Clark, at Pico Heights.

## Court Notes.

In the United States Circuit Court yesterday the trial of the case of Richard Gird vs. the California Oil Company, an action to determine conflicting claims to certain mining lands in the Sespe district, was concluded, the matter being argued and submitted to Judge Ross for decision.

The trial of the case of Jesse W. Lichtenfeld of New York vs. the Southern California Railway Company, an action in ejectment to recover possession of 51.55 acres of land in the NW. 1/4 of sec. 6, T. 9 S. R. 1 W., and \$5,000 damages, was commenced before Judge Ross, in the United States Circuit Court yesterday, but at the close of plaintiff's testimony went over until this morning. The defendant disclaims all interest except as to twenty acres of the tract in controversy, to which it claims title under the act of Congress of March 3, 1875.

Proceedings have been instituted by J. H. Gifford to obtain a divorce from his wife, Mary R. D. Gifford, upon various statutory grounds.

Upon motion of F. S. Adams, Esq., counsel for the defendant, Claude L. Hill was allowed until December 9 by Judge Smith yesterday morning in which to plead to the two charges of embezzlement preferred against him by Robert C. Brinkley.

Thomas R. Norris appeared before Judge Smith yesterday morning to plead to the charge of having seduced a young woman under promise of marriage at Pomona. Before doing so, however, his attorney, Ira Moore, Jr., Esq., moved the Court to set aside the information on the ground that the offense had been committed in Orange county, but the motion was denied, and a demurrer was

then presented was overruled, whereupon the defendant entered his plea of not guilty, and the case was set for trial on December 26 next.

The defendant in the case of Mrs. Margaret Wilson vs. the California Central Railway Company, was granted thirty days' additional time by Judge Clark yesterday in which to prepare its statement on motion for a new trial therein, and the defendant in that of the Southern California National Bank vs. E. W. Reid was allowed ten days' further time to answer.

The case of B. S. Hause vs. S. S. Watson et al., an action to recover the sum of \$1203.88, due upon two notes, came up for hearing before Judge Wade yesterday, and the defendants having allowed the matter to go by default, a decree was ordered for plaintiff as prayed.

The trial of the case of W. M. Bristol vs. F. B. Alderson, an action to quiet title to certain water rights at Cahua, was resumed before Judge Wade yesterday and will be taken up again this morning.

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Pursuant to stipulation thereto filed it was ordered by Judge Van Dyke yesterday morning that the order made in the divorce case of Mrs. Mattie C. Dodson vs. S. S. Dodson on Monday last, overruling the demurrer, be vacated and the demurrer be restored to the record.

The trial of the case of W. McGough vs. the Stearns Manufacturing Company et al., was resumed in Department Four yesterday, but came to abrupt conclusion, as Judge Van Dyke, at the close of the plaintiff's testimony, granted the defendant's motion for judgment of nonsuit.

When the case of Felix Viole vs. W. H. Bonnall et al., an action to recover damages for alleged false imprisonment, was called for trial in Department Four yesterday morning no one appeared for either party, whereupon Judge McKinley ordered that the action be dismissed.

In the Township Court yesterday, Justice Stanton commenced a preliminary examination into the case against Robert McClellan, charged with having assaulted a Mexican with a deadly weapon at the Original Vienna Buffet on Requena street, but continued the matter until today.

Among the documents filed with the County Clerk yesterday were the preliminary papers in the following new cases:

A. H. Lefever et ux. vs. Uri Emboddy et al., suit to foreclose a mortgage for \$15,273.51.

F. X. Link vs. Evade G. Conroy et al., suit to foreclose a mechanic's lien for \$518.18.

Petition of Charles W. Lane for admission to probate of the will of Emily H. Lane, deceased, who died on November 30, leaving real and personal property valued at \$580.

TODAY'S CALENDAR.

DEPARTMENT ONE—Judge Smith.

DEPARTMENT TWO—Judge Clark.

Estate of T. J. Olivras, deceased; citation.

Estate of I. M. Hellman, deceased; account.

Estate of A. H. Denker, deceased; will.

Estate of Albert Rowland, deceased; citation.

G. W. Braun et al. vs. J. J. Buehler et al.; attachment.

DEPARTMENT THREE—Judge Wade.

WILL M. BRISTOL VS. F. B. ALDERSON ON TRIAL.

WILL BOEHME VS. E. D. GIBSON; FOR POSSESSION.

LORAIN CROSBY VS. WILL SHOULDERER; ATTACHMENT.

DEPARTMENT FOUR—Judge Van Dyke.

J. A. GRAVES ET UX. VS. C. F. BEAN; ON TRIAL.

DEPARTMENT FIVE—Judge Stone.

RE INSOLVENCY OF L. M. WAGNER; CITATION.

DEPARTMENT SIX—Judge McKinley.

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